



#### LAST WEEK'S REPORT

Sunday School							
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		NUR	SERY SCHEDULE				
Mar.	21	Sunday	a.m. Casey Paugh, Carolyn Davis				
		-	p.m. Connie Wagner, Carol Brant				
		Wed.	Joy Wagner				
Mar.	28	Sunday	a.m. Denise and Cierra Rowan				
			p.m. Jodie Thomas, Paula Browning				
Mar.	Mar. 31 Wed. Jackie Hinebaugh						
April	April 4 Sunday a.m. Tammy Burdock, Heidi Bittenger						
			p.m. Brenda Maffett, Kelly Maffett				
April	7	Wed.	Becky Heath				
April	11	Sunday					
			p.m. Sue Teagarden, Debbie Coddington				
April	14	Wed.	Robin Bonner				

Bill & Lesa Cole Anniversary 3-21 George & Commie Futch Anniversary 3-22 Paul Sines Birthday 3-23 Shirley Warnick Birthday 3-23

## **COMING EVENTS**

Mar.	28	KICK OFF TRACT MONTH
April	3	MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST
April	4-7	SPRING REVIVAL - Dr. Bill Behrens
April	10	LADIES' PRAYER LUNCHEON
April	24	GOODWILL NURSING HOME MINISTRY
Мау	2	TRACT MONTH FINALE
Мау	6-8	MEN'S MTN. GET-A-WAY
Мау	7-8	"SWEET TO THE SOUL" Ladies' Conference
Мау	9	MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST/SERVICE
May	19-23	ANNUAL MISSIONS CONFERENCE - Dr. Pat Cre
Мау	31	TEEN MEMORIAL DAY OUTING
June	6	BABY DAY
July	12-16	NEIGHBORHOOD BIBLE TIME
July	26-30	NATIONAL SWORD OF THE LORD COFERENCE



MTN LAKE INDEPENDENT BAPTIST CHURCH

#### CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday School		9:45 a.m.
Sunday Morning	Preaching	10:45 a.m.
<b>Sunday Evening</b>	Preaching	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Pray	er & Preaching	. 7:00 p.m.

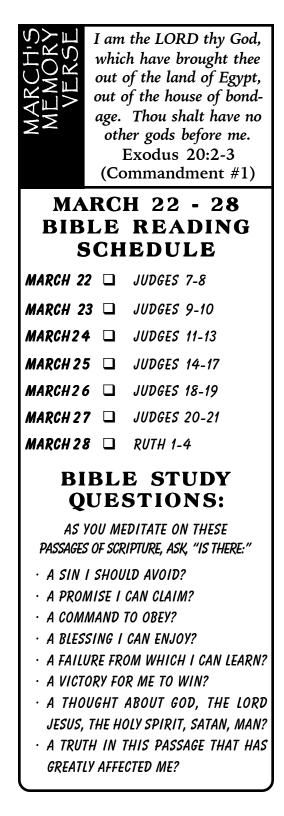
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#### MISSIONARY **DAILY PRAYER SCHEDULE!**

SUNDAY
1.   2. Baptist International Missions Inc. - Missions Agency   3. John Baker Family - Missions Supply   4. Mike Bardon Family - Mormon Missions   5. Beacon of Truth Baptist Ministries - Tract Printing   6. Dr. Ron Bragg Family - B.I.M.I. Director, Africa   7. Jacques Brind'Amour Family - Quebec   8. Daniel Canavan Family - Ireland   9. Christian Law Association - Legal
MONDAY     10. Brian Collins Family   - Singapore     11. Scott Cornoyer   - Church Planting, Maryland     12. Chris Corrigan Family- Church Planting, Maryland     13. Dr. Pat Creed Family- B.I.M.I. Director, Caribbean     14. Dan DeLong Family   - Australia     15. Samuel Eastep Family   - Mexico City     16. Faith Baptist School of Theology   - Preacher Training     17. Fellowship Tract League   - Gospel Tract Printing     18. Ken Fielder Family   - FirstBible International
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WEDNESDAY29. Justin Hayes Family- Ireland30. Tony Hess Family- Ukraine31. Lewis Howell Family- New Zealand32. James Huckabee Family- Uganda33. Robert Huffman Family- France34. Dr. Dan Hummel- Beacon of Truth Baptist Ministries35. Tim Ingram Family- Brazil36. Fredrick Kearney Family- Ghana, Africa37. Paul Lint Family- Church Planting
THURSDAY   38. Sean Lunday Family - Brazil   39. Gary May Family - Indians, South Dakota   40. Neighborhood Bible Time - Youth   41. Ed O'Brien Family - Spanish Church Planting   42. Joe Passaro Family - Military, Germany   43. Chip Paugh Family - Baccon of Truth Baptist Ministries   44. Jeremy Pittman Family Uganda   45. Dr. Jerry Reece Family - Caribbean   46. Jason Ritchie Family - Mongolia
FRIDAY   47. Dave Robinson Family - FBN   48. Dr. Jimmy Rose Family - B.I.M.I. Brazil Director   49. Dr. Fred Schindler Family - Great Britian   50. Michael Schrimshire Family - Great Britian   51. Jim Shelton Family - Puerto Rico   52. Shepherd's Home - Wisonsin   53. Dr. Clayton Shumpert Family - C.L.A.I.M.   54. Barney Schwanke Family - Literature/Evangelism
SATURDAY56. Dwight Talbot Family- Norway57. Robert Vance Family- Missions Supply58. Jerry Vogel Family- Missionary Helps59. Chris War Family- Military Church Planting60. Shannon Whitaker Family- Canary Islands61. Duey Whitfield FamilySpanish America62 Ray Witmer Family- Prison Ministry63. Jeff Williams Family- New Zealand



## JOY IS BETTER THAN FUN

"Thy words were found, and I did eat them; and thy word was unto me the joy and rejoicing of mine heart: for I am called by thy name, O LORD God of hosts." (Jeremiah 15:16)

People today seem always to be looking for fun or entertainment, but it is significant that "fun" is never mentioned in the Bible, so it is evidently not considered to be a very significant part of the Christian life. The word "entertain" is used to speak of hospitality, and such activities as "play" and "reveling" only receive condemnation. ("Playing" is appropriate for children and animals, of course.)

Christians, however, have something far better than worldly fun - they have heavenly *joy*! This is the unique privilege of the redeemed, and there are many channels through which this joy can be experienced.

First of all, <u>Christian joy comes through the Word</u>. As even Jeremiah ("the weeping prophet!") could say: "*Thy word was unto me the joy and rejoicing of mine heart*," as in our text. Then we rejoice in God's great salvation: "*I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, my soul shall be joyful in my God; for he hath clothed me with the garments of salvation*" (Isaiah 61:10).

**There is great joy also in the privilege of prayer and having our prayers answered:** *"Hitherto have ye asked nothing in my name: ask, and ye shall receive, that your joy may be full"* (John 16:24). **Christian service and witnessing is a source of tremendous joy when its fruits are finally seen**. *"They that sow in tears shall reap in joy. He that goeth forth and weepeth, bearing precious seed, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him"* (Psalm 126:5-6).

And there is much, much more! "*Rejoice in the Lord always: and again I say, Rejoice*" (Philippians 4:4). After all, we know personally the very Creator of all that is good, "*in whom, though now ye see him not, yet believing, ye rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory*" (1 Peter 1:8). - HMM

## **NURSING HOME MINISTRY**

6:30 p.m. this Saturday Evening (March 27) at Goodwill Nursing Home.



Matthew 4:19 "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men."

# **APRIL IS TRACT MONTH**

Next Sunday is our "Kick-off Sunday!" "THE ANGLERS" vs. "THE FISHERMEN!" Our Goal is 15,000 tracts distributed in the month of April!

# MEN'S MOUNTAIN GET-AWAY



#### Bergoo, West Virginia, May 6-8

One needs only to take his Bible in hand and walk down a busy street to see the eyes of others lifted in scorn. There is shame in the Book. There is shame in a testimony. There is shame in a witness. They that

stand for God understand this shame and gladly bear it.

- Dr. Harold Sightler (1914–1995)

## RADIO FUND "WAR CHEST!"

As we wait on the FCC, we must begin preparing for the next stage of the process. Although at this point I am not sure exactly what that will entail, as far as details go, but we know we will need transmitters and various pieces of equipment, along with perhaps land and/or a building to house the studio.

#### Needless to say, this all requires money and that means we need to build a "war chest" to finance the future needs that this endeavor will require.

To those who have already given, we extend to you a hearty "THANK YOU." And to all who believe the importance and potential of this outreach, pray for us, give as you are able and as the Lord directs. As soon as we hear from the FCC

or gain any more information, we will pass it along to you, our church family and faithful listeners and supports of FBN.

OUR "WAR CHEST" GOAL: \$35,000.°° RECIEVED TO DATE: \$10.°°

#### WORLD WIDE FAITH PROMISE MISSIONS CONFERENCE May 19-23

Luke 10:2, The harvest truly is great, but the labourers are few: pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he would send forth labourers into his harvest.



### SPRING REVIVAL "The renewing of your mind..." Romans 12:2

#### April 4-7 Dr. Bill Behrens

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# **THE PERFECT WILL OF GOD** A study from Romans 12 in the

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